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A BIG ATTRACTION.

Benton Harbor Can Have the Second Regiment of the Michigan National Guards July 4.

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And Would Bring Over 5,000 Strangers to the City—Proposition Worth Considering.

W. F. McGurkin, of Grand Rapids, colonel of the second regiment of the Michigan National Guards, was in Benton Harbor yesterday. He gave out that this city could secure as a Fourth of July attraction the entire second regiment of the state militia by merely paying the railroad fare of the military men which, it is estimated, would not exceed \$600.

The second regiment comprises 400 men, there being eight companies with 50 men in each company. Counting on each company bringing 100 friends, a low estimate, there would be over 5,000 visitors from out of town for whose presence the soldiers alone would receive the credit.

With extensive advertising of the attraction the 5,000 assured could be augmented to 15,000 and Benton Harbor would have the largest celebration in her history. Four hundred military men, all disciplined, would give an exhibition worth seeing, and the expense considering the value of the attractions is ridiculously small.

Col. McGurkin's proposition will be laid before the business men and it is hoped that favorable action will be taken. The amount required, it is thought, could be raised by subscription with but little difficulty.

The regiment will bring a band with them and the city would thus be able to save the expense of a musical organization, without which a celebration would not be complete.

MICHIGAN MEN.

President McKinley Makes Some Appointments.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(Special.)—The president sent the following nominations to the senate today:

GEORGE A. FARR of Grand Haven, collector of customs, district of Michigan.

JAMES A. COYE to be surveyor of customs for the port of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

FRANK D. HEALY to be register of the land office at Woodward, Oklahoma territory.

SCIENTIFIC CHRISTIANITY.

Explained by Prof. Riddell at the M. E. Church.

Prof. N. N. Riddell, the clever scientist, who will appear every evening this week at Conkey's opera house with lectures on the science of Christianity, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last night and interested a large audience with a wonderfully strong discourse on the subject, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ Under the Light of Modern Science."

The professor dealt with christianity from a scientific standpoint and demonstrated that the bible was the very essence of scientific propositions. He showed that although many material scientists were inclined to entertain skeptical views on the gospel as conceived and taught by modern religionists it would stand the strongest scientific tests. The speaker considered that the power of christianity would not be wide spread until the agencies for disseminating it adopted the plan of teaching the science of the soul, relating to its birth, growth and immortality.

The professor saw more need of churches laboring among the classes than the masses. He said that one-half of the lawyers, college professors and other learned men were skeptics and it was these individuals that must be taught that religion will stand a practical demonstration. He regretted the fact that hundreds of christian young men lost their religion after entering college, a fact that went to prove that the sciences as taught in the schools appealed to the grosser side of men's lives.

Taking the soul Prof. Riddell demonstrated that it was real, tangible and a force distinctive of the body, because it had the power of leaving it.

C. M. SPAULDING DEAD.

He Was Once a Resident of This City and is Well Known Here.

CHICAGO, May 10.—C. M. Spaulding died this morning at 6 o'clock. His remains will be sent to St. Joseph tonight, arriving there at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Spaulding previous to going to Chicago was a resident of Benton Harbor. He followed the occupation of a painter. A short time before moving to Chicago he married a daughter of John Thomas, Jr., of Coloma. The funeral will be held from the residence of Mrs. E. L. Spaulding in St. Joseph.

HURT BY A WHEEL.

Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrow Injured.

Gladys, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morrow, Brunson avenue, was run into and seriously injured by a bicycle while on the sidewalk in front of the family residence.

The little girl was struck and knocked down and for several minutes afterwards her parents thought she was dead. Dr. Rastar who was in the neighborhood was called and he was in attendance three minutes after the accident. When he arrived a lump the size of an egg was swollen on the child's forehead. Besides this her nose was peeled and she was otherwise injured. Every fifteen minutes all night long it was necessary to change the bandages on the wound on the forehead. It is thought that there will be no serious result.

Gladys has always been unfortunate in regard to accidents. She is the baby who a year ago fell upon a lead pencil the point of which was broken off in her throat. When she was too small to walk a cyclist ran into her cab which her mother was wheeling. The doctor thought this morning that the child would speedily recover.

The bicyclist who ran into the child was Charles Conkey, who is said to be one of the most careful riders in the city. Mr. Conkey is a neighbor of Mr. Morrow's and he was talking to his own child across the street and though riding slow did not see the little girl.

BELL CO. WINS.

Decision Which May Change Some Telephone Plans.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(Special.)—The Bell telephone company has won the case brought against it by the United States to annul its last Berliner patent.

This decision will have the effect of continuing the control of the telephone by the Bell company for seventeen years from the date of the last patent which was granted in 1891, six years ago.

A BOLD HOLD UP.

Night Operator at Granger, Ind., Faces Revolvers in the Hands of Bandits.

THE SAFE IS ROBBED OF \$75.

A Bold Piece of Work Over the Indiana State Line Saturday Night.

A dispatch from Edwardsburg, Mich., says Night Operator James Mc Donough, at Granger, Ind., a small station three miles west of this place, at the crossing of the Big Four and Grand Trunk railways, was held up by three masked men Sunday morning about 1 o'clock. One of the robbers held the operator and two passengers, who were waiting for the westbound passenger train, due at 2:55, at the point of a revolver, while the other two drilled the safe and blew it open, securing \$75, but overlooked \$64, which they scattered on the floor with other papers. They then marched the operator and passengers to a box car and locked them in. The robbers had stolen a hand car from Mishawaka on which they returned about half way back to Mishawaka at a road crossing, where a team was waiting, thus making their escape. No clue has yet been obtained as to their identity. This is similar to a hold-up at Mishawaka about three weeks ago.

Granger is the first station south of Niles on the Big Four. The day operator there is C. L. Haney, a son of Conductor Haney of the Benton Harbor street car line. Mr. Haney says that the bandits locked the night operator in a box car and left him there until he was released by the crew of a passing Grand Trunk train who heard him hammering to get out.

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FATAL FIRE AT SEA

Sixteen Persons Perish in the Hold of a Ship.

THIRTEEN OF THEM PASSENGERS.

The Other Three Being Members of the Crew—Victims Caught Down Below by the Flames with no Possibility of Saving Them—Terrible Struggle with the Blast Before It Was Subdued—Frankie But Fatigue Efforts at Rescue.

New York, May 10.—The Mallory line steamer Leona, which left her pier on Saturday bound for Galveston, took fire at sea, put back, and arrived in port last night with sixteen corpses on board. The dead were thirteen steerage passengers and three members of the crew who succumbed to a terrible fire which occurred off the Delaware capes at an early hour yesterday morning. The horror of the story can hardly be told. Those who are dead were penned below decks, and although frantic efforts were made by the officers of the vessel to save them, the fire had gained such terrific headway before the danger was discovered that all escape was cut off. The steamer carried in her cargo many bales of cotton. It is not certain how the fire originated, but when it was discovered it burst forth with such fury that it was impossible to reach the steerage.

Names of the Victims of the Fire. Even then the steerage passengers apparently were unmindful of the danger, else the smoke and flames had not reached them. The saloon passengers were first aroused, and in such a manner as to occasion little alarm. When it became apparent that the fire had cut off the steerage the captain and his men poured great quantities of water down the ventilators and the most frantic efforts were made for the escape of those penned up. In this way eight of the steerage passengers made their escape. The dead are: Steerage passengers—Bridget Sullivan, R. Catine, Mrs. C. Guzza, Miss Guzza, Miss Hannah Solomonson, Mrs. Valcirk, Miss Valcirk, Sophie Schwartz, Maria Wades, two unknown children and two unidentified. Crew—Alfred Hardy, waiter, New York; Alfred Lang, waiter, New York; H. Hartmann, butcher, New York.

Discovery of the Fire. A passenger tells the following story of the discovery of the fire: "First Mate Wallace was pacing the bridge about 2 a. m. when he thought he smelled smoke coming from the fore-castle. He went down forward to the companion-way and opened the door to the steerage. The moment he did this there was a burst of flame which burned his face. Wallace turned and ran on deck and cried the alarm of fire to the forward watch, telling him to wake the steward and have all the passengers aroused as quickly as possible, without creating any excitement. The steward did this in a quiet manner, going to each state room and waking the occupants. Captain Wilder rushed on deck at the first alarm, clad only in an undershirt and trousers. He assumed command and at once ordered the crew to rescue the steerage passengers. On the same deck with the steerage, on the port side of the ship, a large quantity of cotton bawling was stored, separated from the steerage passengers by a board partition.

But One Exit from the Steerage. The main deck was almost completely filled with freight, cutting off all exit from the steerage to the after part of the ship. The only way out from the steerage was up the forward companion-way. The crew rushed for the companionway and attempted to descend. They were driven back by dense volumes of smoke, and flames quickly followed. The smoke and flames also came up through the ventilators, and it was apparent to all who were on deck that below deck was a roaring furnace. Then it dawned on the officers and crew that the unfortunates in the steerage were probably burning to death. Captain Wilder saw his crew driven back from the companionway and the realization of the horror below made him desperate.

NOT A SOUND FROM THE DEPTHS.

Captain's Desperate Attempt to Get Down Below—Rescue Near at Hand.

"He rushed to the stairs and boldly attempted to go below. He did not get down more than half a dozen steps when the increasing clouds of smoke and the flames shooting up around him drove him back on deck. He stepped back to the shelter of the pilot house. His face was scorched. His eyebrows were burned away. He stood there dazed and overcome for a moment. Then he exclaimed: 'My God, no man can go through that and come out alive.' I tried to peer through the smoke to see if the steerage passengers were running around below, and I hoped that we would be able to reach them in some way. I listened for sounds, but could hear nothing save the roar of the flames as they grew steadily in volume below and rolled round and round in the narrow quarters. There was not a scream, not a shriek; no sign of life below.

"I stood in the lee of the pilot house, watching the officers and crew making futile efforts to reach the steerage. The deck was getting blistering hot. The flames began creeping higher and higher, through every outlet from beneath the deck. The pouring of water down the companionway had no effect save to send up the smoke in great puffs and cause angry spurts of fire to dart menacingly into the faces of the crew. When the news of the fire reached the lower depths of the ship, where the stokers were feeding the boilers, they deserted their posts and rushed to the deck, eighteen of them in all.

"They clambered into the second boat on the port side and began cutting it away. First Officer Wallace and Chief Engineer Taylor were after them in a moment. 'Get out of that boat,' thundered Wallace. The stokers refused to obey and went on cutting away the timbers of the boat.

When the second boat was launched the first officer and chief engineer were the only ones who had been awakened by the part of the crew rushing out of the fore-castle.

The fire crept up through cracks about the pilot house and then into the house itself. The quartermaster stuck to the wheel until the flames almost hid him. Captain Wilder ordered signal lights of distress burned and in a very few minutes there flashed up in the darkness far to the north an answering signal. It came from the City of Augusta, of the Savannah line, which came alongside about daybreak. In the meanwhile the deck forward of the pilot house was burned away, leaving the iron cross beams bare and red hot. The iron plating of the ship's side glowed red hot.

The passengers were all transferred to the City of Augusta in safety and the work of fighting the fire was continued. About 9 o'clock in the morning the flames were under control and the steamer out of danger. The passengers were sent back to the Leona and the City of Augusta continued on her way to Savannah. The Leona put about and returned to port under her own steam."

WENT DAFT ON RELIGION.

Old Negro Baptist Preacher Does the Abraham Sacrificial Act.

Elba, Ala., May 10.—Oscar Williams, a colored Baptist preacher residing in the negro settlement three miles from town, went daft lately over the story of Abraham and Isaac, which was his favorite text and which he held as his pattern of faith. His idiosyncrasy developed into his having visions, in which he said he had been commissioned from on high to repeat Abraham's testimonial of obedience.

When the old man started into the woods with his 2-year-old son, whose name, Isaac, helped to carry out the crazy man's conception, no one suspected anything wrong. In a half hour's time terrific screams were heard and neighbors rushed to the woods. In the heart of a thicket they discovered the boy strapped to a log and the old man standing over him with a bloody knife in his hand. The boy died soon after the neighbors arrived, the old man having cut his throat.

SEQUEL OF A RUNAWAY MATCH.

Another of Those Cases of Hasty Marriage and Leisurely Repentance.

Chicago, May 10.—Charles Paul, a former employee of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway company, is missing, and his 19-year-old wife Hilda, has gone to her home in Michigan City. It was a runaway match. Paul met Hilda at Michigan City three months ago. It was a case of love at first sight, and on March 3 the couple fled to Milwaukee, where they were married. Paul brought his young wife to Chicago last Saturday, and then secured rooms at the Linden hotel.

Saturday evening he quietly took his departure, telegraphing at the same time to his wife's relatives at Michigan City that henceforth he intended leading a single life. The girl's mother hastened to Chicago, and after reporting the matter to the Central police mother and daughter returned to Michigan City.

Would Limit the Supreme Court.

Kansas City, May 10.—The convention of International Machinists Saturday adopted the following resolution: "We demand such revision and amendment of the constitution of the United States and of the several states of the American Union as will forever prevent our supreme courts from declaring any measure of legislation to be null and void after it has been enacted into law."

Republican Candidate Withdraws.

Quincy, Ills., May 10.—Thomas Clark, of Brown county, the Republican candidate for state senator in this (Thirty-seventh) senatorial district, has withdrawn from the field, leaving John McAdams, of Quincy, Democrat, the only aspirant for the vacancy caused by the death of Senator A. W. Wells.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The Manson House, London, Indian famine fund has now reached nearly the sum of \$250,000 (\$2,500,000).

While cleaning out an unused well on his farm in Cedar township, Ia., Robert Mackie pumped out 100 watersnakes. They varied in length from 12 inches to 4 feet 2 inches.

The cabin of Laures Tucker, white, on the plantation of W. S. Gray, near Laurens, S. C., was burned and four children were cremated. The father and mother had gone fishing.

Governor Drake, of Iowa, has signed the liquor bill, including the sections allowing manufacturing.

By the will of the late Rev. Caleb Bradley, of Dedham, Mass., Gale college, of Galesville, Wis., is to receive \$2,000.

David J. Dey, railway mail clerk running between Rhinelander and Ashland, Wis., who was recently arrested, pleaded guilty in the federal court at Madison of embezzling money. He was sentenced to thirteen months in state prison.

The bakers' convention has adjourned at Cleveland to meet at Louisville, Ky., the first Monday in May, 1900.

Henry Houghton, 20 years old, brother-in-law of Secretary of State Casson, of Wisconsin, was found dead about two miles south of Oregon, Wis. Suicide.

It is stated that the Turkish losses in killed, wounded and sick during the recent campaign will reach 38,000.

The first seven days of the centennial exposition at Nashville showed an attendance of 47,500.

An anonymous donor has sent the sum of \$27,500 to the committee of management of the charity bazaar in the Rue Jean Goujon, which was the scene of last week's fire tragedy at Paris.

The rumor is prevalent at Pittsburgh that the beam pool has collapsed, though local manufacturers will not discuss the matter.

James W. Hutchins, the veteran showman, more widely known as "Uncle Jim," died at Cincinnati Saturday. He was born in Paris, Ky., and was 70 years of age.

For Lung Troubles

Seven years ago my wife had a severe lung trouble, which physicians called consumption. The cough was distressing and attended with spitting of blood. As doctors did not help her, she tried

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POISON
RAIDERS

WORK ON THE GRADE.

How Grading is Being Done East of Spinks' Corners on the Tunnel Road.

HOBOS CAN FIND WORK.

As a Rule They Stick at Their Job Not to Exceed Two Days.

Contractor Beecham has the job of grading the tunnel road, from Sister lakes to within a mile of Spinks' Corners, a distance of about five miles.

Work was begun on this grade one mile east and half a mile south of Spinks' Corners where the route crosses a highway. At the highway crossing there is a cut about 12 feet deep and the little hill has been cut into the form of a cross. One line is for the railroad and the cross line for the highway.

From this point work was started in two directions and now about two miles and a half of the grade is finished. The construction from Spinks' Corners to Sister lakes is light work with the exception of a little heavy construction where the road bends around Pipestone lake. Mr. Beecham is an old contractor and has many tools well worn in railroad building. He has five teams of his own and there are about fifteen teams at work owned by other persons. The wheel scrapers which carry a yard of dirt are horse killers and several teams have already been "bushed" on the work.

It has been rather hard work for Mr. Beecham to get men and teams enough to push the work as rapidly as he would like. On May 15 he will draw his first money and pay off the men and invest his surplus in new teams. Wandering Willies, vulgarly called tramps, are given work as they apply. As a usual thing they work a day or two and then sell their "time" at any discount that is offered.

The grade is all for a double track and the trolley poles will be set between the two tracks and the wires will be supported by iron arms.

GIVES ALGER FITS.

Governor Pingree Makes Some Warm Remarks.

Lansing, May 10.—Governor Pingree relates this incident: "A Lansing citizen called on me the other day and asked me to have the clerk in one of the departments discharged because he would not pay his debts. I said to him: 'My friend, General Alger is a millionaire. He once built a railroad north of Bay City. He got a lot of pine land grants and cleared a million and a quarter from the sale of stock. Then he got the legislature to exempt his road from taxes for a term of years. He cut all the pine and the railroad carried it free, which was one of the reasons why it became bankrupt.'

"Mind you, now, on over a million Alger got out of that road and the land grants he never paid a dollar taxes to the state. If you'll write to President McKinley and get him to discharge Alger because he don't pay the debt he owes the state of Michigan, I'll see that the poor clerk that owes you is discharged."

"The millionaire who dodges his honest debts is entitled to no more favors than the poor clerk who dodges his."

"The man left without saying whether he would write to McKinley or not." The clerk still holds his job.

HINTS TO MONEY SAVERS.

Special Bargains Which Our Merchants are Offering.

The best place in the city to get clothing cleaned and repaired is at W. W. Chesley's 168 Pipestone street. All his work is guaranteed and prices are right. Orders may be left at Enders & Young's.

Miss Alice Kerr, of Chicago, will be at James Pound's store one week commencing May 17. She is a professional corset fitter and every lady who desires an easy and well fitting corset should see her. Miss Kerr is one of the most expert corset fitters in Chicago.

Wenninger & Totzke, the meat dealers on Main street corner of Seventh want a trial order. One trip will convince you that it pays to trade with them.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox's-Kold at Bird's drugstore. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

Lake Michigan Has Not Yet Given Up Fred Ewald.

The body of Fred Ewald who was drowned in the St. Joseph river Saturday has not yet been recovered. The life saving crew worked nearly all day yesterday and part of today without success.

The current is very swift where the lad fell in and it is the theory of the life savers that the body was carried out into the lake where it will remain until a heavy sea washes it upon the beach.

The river has been dragged clear out to the end of the north pier. It is expected that the body will come ashore near Double L Gap, the current of the lake naturally carrying it north.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

The Number Occurring in Benton Harbor in 1894.

The twenty-eighth annual report of the secretary of state, relative to the births, marriages and deaths in Berrien county for the year 1894 has just been issued. The report gives Berrien county a population in 1894 of 45,035, with 1,074 births and 446 deaths. Of the three cities in the county the following figures for the same year are given:

Benton Harbor—Population, 5,315; births, 110; deaths, 44.

Niles—Population, 4,508; births, 86; deaths, 59.

St. Joseph—Population, 4,159; births, 104; deaths, 20.

Of the total population in Berrien county 38,704 were native born and 6,331 foreign born. Of the births 365 were males, 315 females and one unknown. The total number of marriages were 407 of which 315 both native born, 31 both foreign born, 22 foreign male and native female, 26 foreign female and native male. Twenty divorces were granted during the year 1894.

During the same year there were 396 deaths in the county, 206 males and 190 females. Twenty of the deaths were from violence.

A FAMILY REUNION.

Mrs. Rebecca Jennings Entertains Her Sons and Daughter.

Forty-two years ago, when Michigan was a wilderness in which the red man roamed, Charles E. Jennings brought his family here from Ohio and located on a farm in Pipestone township. The old homestead remains today but its only occupant is the aged mother. The father is dead, and a son who came with the family to Michigan lost his life in that civil struggle in which so many brave sons fell.

The Jennings family comprised four sons and a daughter when the Civil war broke out. The four sons enlisted but only three returned to gladden the hearts of the father, the mother and the sister. The fourth was slain and with his death came the first shadow of sorrow to cast its gloom over the happy family.

Reunited after the war the family resumed life in the lonely home in the pine forest and prospered. They acquired more land year by year until the Jennings farm covered an area of the most beautiful farming land in Berrien county. No home was ever brighter, no fireside more cheerful. Time wore on and the sons and daughter were married and the old homestead knew no other occupants than the gray-haired and the fast aging parents. Eight years ago death again visited the family, this time plucking from its circle the father. The mother still remains. Saturday she was 80 years old. Her four children, Marion W., C. D., Milo and Mrs. J. H. Gardner, with eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren, seized the occasion of her birthday anniversary to make her heart glad by surrounding her with the ones she loves.

They didn't tell her they were coming and the unexpected but joyous surprise brought tears of gladness to the dim eyes and put new vigor in the form which age has greatly weakened. All day the children hovered over the fond parent. They caressed her, the great grandchildren played around her chair and a beautiful scene of maternal love was exhibited.

Trouble With Tramps.

NILES, May 10.—A gang of 50 tramps terrorized the little village of Dayton, driving the people into their homes, breaking into the only store in the village and carrying away nearly the entire stock. They also broke into several Michigan Central box cars in the yards and fought the police when attempts were made to arrest them.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox's-Kold at Bird's drugstore. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

A SMALL YIELD.

April Crop Report Says Peaches Will be Scarce.

LANSING, May 10.—The crop report for April just issued says: The average condition of wheat is as follows: Southern counties, 84; central, 74; northern, 87, and state, 82 per cent. comparison being with vitality and growth of average years. The average for the state in 1896 was 92, 80 in 1895, and 90 in 1894. The condition is seven per cent lower than one year ago.

The amount of wheat reported marketed by farmers in April is 829,458 bushels as compared with 468,634 bushels in April, 1896, and 810,226 bushels in April, 1895, and the amount in the nine months, August-April, is 8,364,829 bushels, as compared with 7,781,870 bushels in the same months last year, and 9,070,541 bushels in 1895.

Apples promise less than two-thirds, and peaches less than one-half, of an average crop. The figures are, southern counties, apples 62, peaches 41; central counties, apples 66, peaches 64, and northern counties, apples 79, peaches 58. One year ago apples promised 96 per cent, and peaches 84 per cent, of an average crop.

MILLINERY NOTES.

Rough Fancy Straws—Flowers, Gauze, Ribbon Lace and Feathers.

Among the many pretty things in the millinery line to be seen this spring are hats all of one color—violet, blue, green or red. They are of colored straw, trimmed with gauze and flowers to match. Purple straws are ornamented with violets, blue ones with blueets or cornflowers, greens ones with mignonette, or green roses and red ones with scarlet poppies. The effect is decidedly picturesque, although rather solid for delicate faces.

Rough fancy straws are greatly in the majority, very few fine, plain ones being seen, except as the fine straw serves sometimes as a crown for the coarser variety. There are openwork chenille braids likewise, made into various shapes.

There is plenty of variety in fashionable millinery trimming this season. Flowers, tulle, gauze, ribbon, velvet, lace, feathers, silk and straw pompons and jeweled ornaments are all employed, and if there were anything else that could be utilized in millinery it would doubtless be pressed in-



SPRING COSTUME.

to the service. Everything is fashionable, and almost everything is often seen on the same hat.

Blue, purple and green vells are seen, made to match the prevailing headwear, but these brilliant veillings are most unbecoming to the complexion and should be avoided. Black, white and gray are by all means the best, although brown may be worn with fair success.

Today's sketch shows a costume of light blue silk with black stripes. The skirt has three large horizontal tucks half way up its length, these being its only ornament. The close bodice has a very short basque and is slightly draped in front, fastening at the left side by three butterfly bows of black satin. The full plastron is of white gauze, the dalmatic collar being double, the lower collar of black satin, the upper of white guipure over blue silk. The sleeves have ruffles on the outside between the shoulder and elbow. The hat of black straw is trimmed with black satin and black plumes. White roses are placed under the brim, while a paste buckle fastens the bow.

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We have given John Schairer the agency in Benton Harbor for our Barley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley it is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurity. For the sick and feeble it is a true tonic. E. H. CHASE & Co., Distillers, Louisville, Ky.

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Some of our competitors claim to have as good a wheel which they sell at any price

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We do not claim to give you something for nothing, but we do claim and can prove, that we can and do sell clothing less than any other institution in these cities.

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THE WEATHER.
 Fair, warmer tonight and tomorrow

THE BICYCLE ACCIDENT.
 The bicycle accident Sunday evening in which the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morrow was injured will no doubt cause another war to be waged on wheelmen who use the sidewalk.
 Everyone will most heartily sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Morrow and also shudder over the accident. It is very unfortunate from the standpoint of the cyclist that one of the most careful riders in the city should have caused the accident. The argument has always been that with proper care and a little sense there was no danger to the pedestrians if wheelmen did ride on the walks. In the present instance that argument has lost all its force.
 Bronson avenue has concrete walks and a heavy grade. Reckless riders throw their feet over their handle bars and coast down this street like the wind and to the pedestrian on the walk there is no escape. Had one of these fellows ran down the child he should have been arrested and kept in jail. In fact the sidewalk scorchers ought to be put in jail.
 Such an accident like the one referred to could not be avoided by prohibiting wheelmen from the walks and building cycle paths. Children will play on bicycle paths as well as on sidewalks and a sensible rider will not meet with such an accident once in a thousand years.
 The cyclists of the city at least ought to see to it that the physician employed takes no pay from the little girl's family for services. Such an act would show a grateful sympathy and would only be just and proper.

THE EVENING NEWS has received special advice from Washington which state that Congressman Hamilton recommended H. R. Huntington for the postmastership on April 23, seventeen days ago. It looks as though no republican wounds would be hurriedly made. The friends of other candidates will be recalled by fall.
 If ante-election promises of republicans are good for anything then Edgar Nichols will remain postmaster until the expiration of the present term.

SUMMER ATTRACTIONS.
 Their Inauguration in St. Joseph is Assured.
 The street railway company, the Graham & Morton transportation company and the steam railways are combining in a movement to provide amusement for the thousands of visitors who will come to the two cities this summer.
 Thousands of dollars will be expended in providing attractions but just what the nature of them will be only the transportation companies know. The street railway company has an option on several acres of land near the terminus of the new St. Joseph extension and in case of a successful culmination of the plans now laid this land will be converted into an athletic park where ball games, bicycle races and other out-of-door sports will take place.
 The promoters of the attraction movement are working very quietly possibly because of the fear that the over zealous Christians will attempt to thwart them. The largest excursions brought to these cities occur on Sunday and to make them a success the railways and steamboat men realize that some amusement must be provided even though it be Sunday.
 The attractions as now contemplated will all be confined to the territory at the St. Joseph end of the street car line. This much is decided and although none of the promoters are inclined to talk it has been stated that at least \$800 per week will be squandered for the entertainment of strangers who come here.
 The necessity of providing summer attractions is imperative. People are not inclined to take a day's outing at a place where nothing is afforded for their delectation. Those who come here to spend the season will provide their own amusement, but the tourists who are brought in by trains and boats for a day's visit must be amused or they won't come again. Lake Michigan is an interesting body of water but side attractions are required to bring folks here a second time.

THE STEAMBOAT SCHEDULE.
 Graham & Morton Boats Making Regular Trips.
 The City of Louisville will make daily trips leaving Benton Harbor at 8 o'clock and St. Joseph at 10 o'clock each evening except Saturday and leave Chicago docks at noon every day except Sunday when it will leave at 10 o'clock. It will reach the City of Louisville on Monday.

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Fresh Vegetables.
 How shall we keep our customers in a happy mood. It is a question that arises when times are hard and money scarce. It is easy for us as we give quality as well as quantity.
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 BARGAIN STORE FOR DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY.
 Our Line of Wash Dress Goods is not surpassed in the city and we aim to be a notch the lowest in price.
 Our Millinery Department is one of the leading attractions of our store. Largest millinery stock and lowest prices in the city.
THE ENTERPRISE MERCANTILE CO.


 A HAPPY COUPLE A WHEEL is the husband and wife that is fortunate enough to own a tandem. No bickerings or strife between couples who know how to enjoy life on an easy-riding, handsome America. Now is the time to make ready for Spring rides, and enjoy the beauties of nature on a single or tandem wheel. Look at our choice stock from which to choose. They are the cream of the best manufacturers.
W. C. HOVEY
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 INCIDENTALLY it is an advocate of democracy, with no leaning toward populism or socialism. The triumph of the republican party in the recent presidential election, as a result of the disruption of the democrats, devolves upon the latter the duty of reconciliation and reorganization on the lines of their own, and not some other party's, faith. To promote genuine democracy, to discountenance populism, and to resist the monopolistic tendencies of republicanism will be the political mission of THE CHRONICLE in the future as it has been in the past.
 As a newspaper THE CHRONICLE will continue to be comprehensive and enterprising, sparing neither labor nor expense to make its reports of all noteworthy events of superior excellence, and covering exhaustively the entire field of news, discovery, invention, industry and progress.
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SUITS \$15 AND UP
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May 10, 1906
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street block. Miss S. Williams.
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Good News Cheap.

Hall & Nichols have received an im-
mense consignment of novels from New
York City, including the works of
Bertha M. Clay and other standard
authors, which they will sell at 15 cents
per volume. They give the purchasers
the privilege of returning the books
after reading them and will exchange
new books for the additional price of 5
cents. 61459

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a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guar-
anteed. Price 25 cents.

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Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke; 10
cigar for 5c. Beware of imitations.
See that your cigar is stamped Pro
Patria. Geo. Moebis & Co., manu-
facturers, Detroit.

The City Steam laundry does more
work than all other laundries in Ber-
rien county combined. It is fine work
that has built up the trade.

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a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guar-
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Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

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ness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys,
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male or female. It relieves retention of water
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you want quick relief and cure this is your rem-
edy. Sold by G. M. Hall & Co., 108 Main street,
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The steam carpet cleaning works
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carpets. The works are under new
management and perfect work will be
guaranteed. Carpets called for and
delivered. Leave orders at 129 Pipe-
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Announcement.

Mrs. L. Hurlbut has opened parlors
in the new York block for hair dress-
ing, scalp treating, facial blemishes,
manicuring and shampooing. I have
also a fine line of cosmetics, Monte
Christo tonic, Ton Jours Jeunesse, Poudre
De Riz, Graham's and Madam Char-
lotte's Gards. All kinds of hair work
done. Would be pleased to meet the
ladies of Benton Harbor at any time
after May 3 in the new York block.
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Care to Ladies.

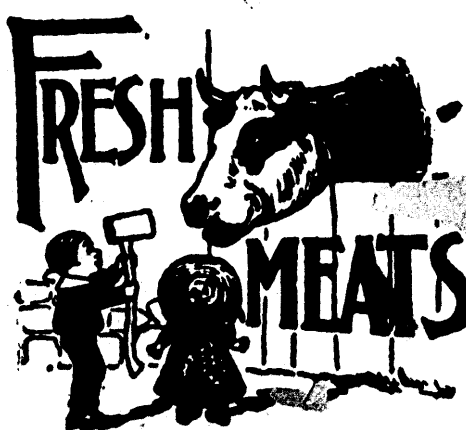
Madam J. DeCanter does hairdress-
ing, shampooing, manicuring and facial
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Anyone wishing to have their lawns
graded or sodded or otherwise ar-
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Take Notice.

A. E. Nichols, the dime deliveryman,
has changed his office from Lowe &
Rouse's drug store to Harry L. Bird's.
Mr. Nichols says please try him at his
new office and orders will receive more
prompt attention. Phone 453 rings.
Orders may also be left at Michael &
Beeny's



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is ever exhibited on the countenances
of our patrons, they know by experience
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teous and constant attention. To the
stranger is given our cordial invitation
to see how we treat customers. He
will find it desirable to "call again"
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

REGULAR communication of Lake
Shore lodge, F. & A. M. tonight.

C. J. PECK will go to Chicago to-
night to buy new things in furniture.

MCCORD & Westcott have filed their
acceptance of the Eastman Springs
street railway franchise.

THE ball game Saturday between St.
Joseph and Benton Harbor resulted in
a score of 10 to 12 in favor of the for-
mer.

PROF. Riddell will give the first of
his series of lectures tonight in Con-
key's hall on "Psychic Phenomena."
Seats free.

THE questionable resort operated by
Maggie Lewis in the eastern part of
the city has been closed under orders
of the police officers.

MRS. John Vernon, who has been
confined to her home for several
months by sickness, rode down town
Saturday for the first time.

LINCOLN Misener, who has spent the
past four months in Chicago, returned
yesterday and resumed his old position
as foreman of THE EVENING NEWS
office.

MISS Nina Lewis, of Escanaba, has
remembered Miss Mabel Geer with a
box of beautiful wild flowers which
grow in greater luxuriance in Miss
Lewis' locality than here.

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hollis, a
son. Grandpa Hollis is the proudest
man in town and he is celebrating the
event by changing his front lawn into
a terrace and building a neat iron
fence along the street. This will make
the most slightly lawn in the city.

THE beginning of last week Herr
Bros. bought thirty bushels of Willow
Twig apples. When the large stock
arrived they thought they were stuck.
They advertised them in THE NEWS
and sold twenty-eight bushels on Sat-
urday. It costs a little to adver-
tise in a paper with a circulation but
it pays.

THE official board of the Christian
church has not yet decided on a man
to succeed Rev. J. H. Bicknell as
pastor, but there seems to be a general
inclination toward hiring Mr. Appleg-
ate, of Winamac. Mr. Applegate oc-
cupied the pulpit yesterday and made a
very favorable impression. He is 42
years old and has a wife and two chil-
dren.

J. A. SIMON this morning received a
letter from Digby Bell of the "Hoosier
Doctor," a play which is having a great
run at the Grand opera house in Chi-
cago, inquiring concerning the possi-
bility of putting the play on here.
Daily Mr. Simon receives communica-
tions from first class companies who
desire coming here.

SOCIETY'S CORNER.

What Benton Harbor People and Their Societies Are Doing.

The W. W. Chantauquans were most
hospitably entertained Saturday after-
noon by Mrs. Dunning at her pleasant
home on Morton Hill. The program
was carried out in full, Miss Whitehead
favoring the club with one of her
sweetest songs, accompanied by Miss
Morgan. After a social half hour the
club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Wal-
ker on Britain avenue with the following
program: Roll call, quotations on as-
tronomy from the facts; second half of
Archaic period of Greek sculpture,
Mrs. Kerry; the Transitional period of
Greek sculpture, Mrs. Hendrix; char-
acteristics of Hugo's works and career,
Mrs. Valentine; the Constellation of
Hercules, Miss Cora Hull; vocal solo,
Mrs. Dunning; pronunciation test,
Mrs. Shauman; original questions, Mrs.
Drake.

M. A. Price will leave tomorrow
morning for Mayville, Mich., on busi-
ness connected with the estate of his
brother who died recently.

H. L. Hauser, of Chicago, publisher
of "Headlight Flashes" was here yes-
terday and today. He will return to
Chicago tonight.

The ladies of circle No. 5, of the
Methodist church will meet with Mrs.
George Ferguson in St. Joseph tomor-
row afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Fer-
guson will show the ladies through the
jail and courthouse. Those that can-
not meet with Mrs. B. F. Rounds, cor-
ner Broadway and Britain avenue, at 2
o'clock, sharp, are requested to take
the car from the nearest point.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger, of Bu-
chanan, had business at the county
seat this morning.

A. H. Lewis Arrested.

Sheriff Ferguson went to Elkhart
this afternoon to get Joseph Hatfield,
held by the officers there for the lar-
ceny of some clothing from the resi-
dence of A. H. Lewis at Spinks Corners
last Tuesday night. Hatfield was re-
tained by Lewis as a farm laborer.

A. E. Crooks, florist, 175 Britain
avenue. Choice potted plants, palms,
ferns etc. Floral designs a specialty.
4761

Ask for Columbia 5 cent cigar.

A. Sahlin passed and misreported by
Orethory. The text was from Acts 23,
22: "But we desire to hear of thee
what thou thinkest for as concerning
sect, it is known to us that every where
it is spoken against. Acts 23, 22.

Mr. Sahlin said: "Our text dis-
cusses the fact that in Rome where
Paul had been taken as a prisoner, the
gospel of Jesus was practically unknown.
The mission of Paul whether free or
bound was to proclaim that gospel.
There were Jews in Rome who, before
passing judgment, would hear the
heresy as Christianity was then con-
sidered by the whole world. Truth has
made advance thro' heresy, radical dif-
ferentiation, has made its martyrs and
advanced the cause of God. We have
nothing to complain of as Universalists
in the general reception accorded our
views and do not desire to pose as the
Uriah Heeps of the universe. But
when ministers upon every possible oc-
casion put their church prosperity up-
on the basis of competition, ignorantly
or otherwise misrepresenting the doc-
trine taught by a sister church, then
we feel as tho' the sacred cause of
truth was being made merchandise of
and that orthodoxy as locally concerned
has hoped to thrive upon the not to be
excused theory of building up one
church at the expense of another.

"Our text shows us that the first es-
sential is the open mind. Were there
not men and women brave enough to
withstand the line scorn and social ostracism
incited those who travel on
other than the beaten track there
would be no advance, and Christianity
would have been an impossibility. The
open mind of Saul made of him a Paul.
The thinker, the inventor, each ad-
vances and blesses mankind as the
lower is set aside for the higher. Let
no man think that any church in Ben-
ton Harbor can afford to thrive at the
expense of another, for in the Providence
of God each does its work or
else it would not be.

So the Universalist prays for and
believes in the final good of all men,
yet as a Universalist he is cast aside as
one teaching an evil doctrine.

"Which leads us to the second con-
sideration that Universalism is a
heresy. The chief objection being
urged that we teach no future punish-
ment. If this charge were true, I too,
would fight against it. But it is not.
Ours is the only church that teaches
distinctly that as a man sows so
shall he reap in this or the world to
come. Who can possibly be afraid of a
heresy which teaches that whatever
the sins of men, or how divided in doc-
trine the world may be, that all things
work together for good. Salvation is
then within the reach of everyone re-
gardless of churchianity. Funerals no
longer will be used as an opportunity
to whip, regardless of reason, the
mourner into narrow theological agree-
ment with the preacher who has noth-
ing better to offer the survivors than
an eternal hell in case of conscientious
disagreement. Thirdly the prejudice.
How shall we account for it? In pro-
portion as one does not know does he
fear innovation. Macaulay charged
ancient philosophy as being a tread.
In which much labor was spent at
nothing practical accomplished. Put
the same labor into traveling the high-
ways of life and knowledge and happi-
ness ensues. Orthodoxy is proving a
treadmill, much labor, little get there.
You have to die before you see heaven
and then you are not sure. The Uni-
versalist church prospers where intelli-
gence reigns, and with each successive
generation its teachings spread making
heretics of many, who sheltered are by
a faith to which they do not give their
heart and undivided support.

"And fourth, how to overcome this
prejudice. Remember that every-
thing which helps us enjoy this age
was once looked upon as a dangerous
innovation. Change in government,
philosophy, religion and social condi-
tion have met with bitter opposition.

Patience, education, and charity will
at last show God to be in fact what he
is proclaimed to be in theory, good
love. That nothing good can be in
him while evil is in you or me, to
paraphrase Whittier. There is noth-
ing so glorious as to live in the realm
of intellectual and religious freedom,
and he who seeks the truth has nothing
to fear as to consequences. Live up to
your opportunities and take the igno-
rant scorn of the world, remembering
tomorrow the world will change its
mind making the heresy of the past
the supernal truth of the future.

Finally, I have said nothing of what
Universalism is, philosophically,
ethically or religiously. But practi-
cally it teaches the eternal and univer-
sal use of the golden rule by which
God no less than man is bound. An
open mind, for no church has yet ac-
quired a monopoly of the truth, and a
charity which pitieth though it does
not fear the base subterfuge to which
its enemies resort. The civilization of
tomorrow cannot be built on the re-
ligion of the past. As in France po-
litically, so in the universe religiously,
must liberty, fraternity and equality
reign."

NEWS OF THE STATE.

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3	9:45	P.M.	2:45	St. Joseph	3	9:45	A.M.	9:45	A.M.
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Athens, May 10.—The correspondent of the Associated Press learns on the very best authority that Greece has made a written application to the powers through their representatives at Athens with a view of obtaining mediation. All the representatives have promised in their replies to use their best offices,



OSMAN PASHA.

except the German minister, who has merely acknowledged the receipt of the note from the cabinet. The porte is inclined to support the powers, with a view to the facilitation of negotiations; but it declines to consent to an armistice on the ground that this would enable Greece to reorganize her forces. As a matter of fact Turkey continues to send troops from Salonica homeward, and it is probable that Osman Pasha has returned to Constantinople from Salonica. In view of both facts it may be assumed that nothing serious is expected, but the continuance of a state of war is regarded as the very best means of hastening the efforts of diplomacy.

Sultan Inclined To Be Moderate. Without doubt hopes have been raised in Turkey that the Ottoman government might annex Thessaly and restore the old frontier of 1881, but the sultan is not inclined to risk such a step. On the contrary, he opposes it uncompromisingly and will not yield to the pressure of the war party at Constantinople. He will be satisfied with a reasonable indemnity and a slight rectification of the eastern Thessalian frontier, such a one as would give Turkey several strategic positions in the vicinity of Neresos. A dispatch from Lamia, dated Saturday, says that Crown Prince Constantin is still at Domokos and that General Smolenski is at Almyros. Ricotti Garibaldi and the Italian volunteers have arrived at Almyros. The dispatch says that the exodus of inhabitants from Domokos, Lamia and the surrounding country continues.

More Fighting Looked for at Domokos. Greek torpedo boats still patrol the gulf of Volo. It is probable that more fighting will occur at Domokos. The telegraph is working to Domokos, and the latest dispatch from that point says that the Turks are half way between Pharsalos and Domokos, and are believed to be planning an attack upon the latter. The Turks do not molest the inhabitants of the villages they have occupied, but they have burned houses and plundered several churches at Pharsalos.

Aye, There's the Rub, Colonel. In the course of an interview yesterday Colonel Vassos said: "The union between Crete and Greece is now an actual fact, and nothing is lacking but the consent of Europe. The foreign admirals recently asked my authority to advance their troops in Crete beyond the zone previously occupied. The powers may do what they like. The union of Crete and Greece is inevitable, and a necessity." It is reported in official circles that Queen Olga has sent a telegram to the czar soliciting the mediation of Russia.

ONLY DOMOKOS REMAINS NOW.

Volo Falls Into the Hands of the Turks, Following Velestino.

Volo, May 10.—Of all the strongholds that have been prominently mentioned as Greek for the past two or three weeks but one, Domokos, remains in the hands of the Grecian soldiers. Following the capture of Velestino, Volo is now in the possession of the Turk. The Associated Press correspondent thus describes the events immediately following the fall of Velestino: The Turks have completely occupied and burned Velestino. At 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening the defeat of the Greeks was complete, and the pass to Volo open to the Turks. The search-lights of the warships on the bay flashing up the mountain sides were of great assistance to the retreating Greeks, showing the road through the intense darkness. Over a dozen cannon were abandoned and captured by the Turks. Two hundred wounded soldiers were brought to Volo. The correspondent of the Associated Press is of the opinion that many of the Greek wounded soldiers were left on the field. It is impossible to estimate the number of the killed.

Advises received from the frontier are to the effect that General Smolenski's shattered army was cut in two. The left wing retired to Almyros. What was left of the right wing came toward Volo, broken and demoralized. The retreat across the mountains was almost as bad as the panic which resulted in the change of base from Tyrnavos to Volo. The scene of the more recent panic was wild and almost indescribable. On

west all inhabitants remaining in the town. A touching scene ensued. In the principal street an immense crowd gathered with anxious, upturned faces, listening eagerly to the reading of the proclamation which was to decide their fate. When the reading was finished a murmur of intense relief was heard throughout the dense throng, quickly followed by frantic shouts of "Long live the sultan." But there still remained cause for the most serious anxiety, for the question was then whether the Greek admiral, whose ships were lying off the town and in plain sight, would accept Edhem Pasha's terms. A single gun shot from the fleet would have compelled the Turks to treat Volo as hostile.

"Three newspaper men, myself among them, were appointed a deputation to go on board the flagship and get the admiral's reply. We bore a white flag. At the quay, however, we met the captains of the foreign warships with a written communication from the admiral saying that he intended to remain in front of the town until assured that it would be occupied quietly. To this the Turkish commander replied that only one battalion would enter, the main army going into camp outside, and he again requested that the Greek fleet be withdrawn, otherwise he could not be responsible for what might occur." The Greek admiral agreed to withdraw.

Greeks Going Home Too Late.

New York, May 10.—More than 400 Greeks sailed for home on La Touraine Saturday, to join the army. Two hundred were from Chicago and forty from California. Nearly 100 Americans went with the party.

STATUS OF THE BALL CLUBS.

Anson with His Colts Continues to Ornament the Tail-End.

Chicago, May 10.—The League situation shows Baltimore at the top instead of Philadelphia, which led last week, while the Chicago colts have held their grip on the second place from the bottom:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	13	11	2	.846
Pittsburg	11	8	3	.727
Louisville	12	8	4	.666
Cincinnati	13	7	6	.583
Philadelphia	14	8	6	.571
New York	11	6	5	.545
Cleveland	13	7	6	.538
Boston	13	5	7	.417
St. Louis	13	4	9	.307
Brooklyn	13	4	9	.308
Chicago	14	4	10	.286
Washington	11	3	8	.273

Saturday's League scores: At Louisville—St. Louis 4, Louisville 2; at Pittsburg—Cincinnati 1, Pittsburg 9; at Philadelphia—Baltimore 4, Philadelphia 2; at New York—Brooklyn 5, New York 9; at Cleveland—Chicago 6, Cleveland 7; at Boston—Washington 10, Boston 9. (Sunday) At Louisville—St. Louis 2, Louisville 4; at Chicago—Cincinnati 2, Chicago 5.

Western League (Saturday): At Minneapolis—Milwaukee 10, Minneapolis 5; at Detroit—Columbus 9, Detroit 12; at Grand Rapids—Indianapolis 7, Grand Rapids 2; at St. Paul—Kansas City 6, St. Paul 16. (Sunday) At Columbus—Indianapolis 6, Columbus 6; at Grand Rapids—Detroit 6, Grand Rapids 4; at Minneapolis—St. Paul 9, Minneapolis 4; at Milwaukee—Kansas City 4, Milwaukee 6.

Western Association (Saturday): At St. Joseph—Dubuque 3, St. Joseph 14; at Des Moines—Peoria 3, Des Moines 6; at Quincy—Rockford 3, Quincy 0; at Burlington—Cedar Rapids 18, Burlington 4. (Sunday) At Burlington—Cedar Rapids 11, Burlington 13; at St. Joseph—Dubuque 3, St. Joseph 9; at Des Moines—Peoria 1, Des Moines 4; at Quincy—Rockford 3, Quincy 7.

ONE MORE OFFICIAL INDICTED.

Illinois State Bank Examiner in Trouble Over That Globe Affair.

Chicago, May 10.—George W. Hayden, state bank examiner under the administration of Governor Altgeld, was indicted by the grand jury Saturday for malfeasance in office. His offense is alleged to have been suppression of his report on the condition of the Globe Savings bank from January until March. The indictment makes the sixth in the Hayden Savings case, and if criminal court rumors are to be credited others are to follow this week.

The evidence upon which the grand jurors brought the indictment was furnished by George S. Thomas, chief of the banking department of the state auditor's office. When on the stand in person early in the investigation of Spalding and his associates, Hayden did not attempt to make any defense and could give no reason why he had withheld his report on a tottering financial institution for at least a month.

Attempt to Wreck a Building.

Tecumseh, Mich., May 10.—An attempt was made to wreck the office of Dr. F. P. Feht with dynamite at about 8 o'clock Friday evening. Dr. Feht and Captain William H. Hayden were at work when both were startled by the sound of falling glass. They rushed to the laboratory of the doctor and found upon the floor a bomb with a spluttering fuse. The doctor, with rare courage, extinguished the fuse and hurled the bomb out of an open window. The bomb was composed of a piece of gas pipe fifteen inches long filled with dynamite, shot and pieces of scrap iron.

Could Not Have Damages Twice Over.

Janesville, Wis., May 10.—In the case of George Simms against the Mutual Fire Insurance company et al, Judge Bennett dismissed the complaint against the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad company, one of the defendants. Simms' property was destroyed by sparks from a locomotive, and the company settled for the damages. Then he brought suit against the insurance company to collect on his policy, but the company refused to pay on the ground that the railroad company had settled for the loss.

Franklin's in a Divorce Case.

LaCrosse, Wis., May 10.—Mrs. Clement J. Spettel was granted a divorce Friday from her husband. During Friday evening they met and at midnight summoned a justice of the peace and were taken to their home, where they were married, fourteen hours after the divorce was granted.

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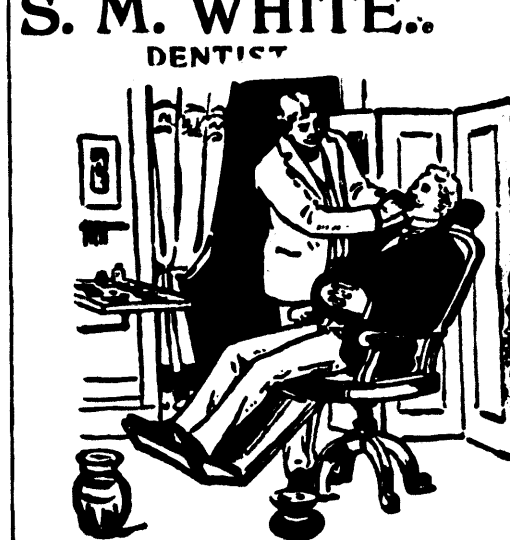
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